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FOR: Cell Lines, Ligands And Antibody)
Fragments For Use In Pharmaceutical)
Compositions For Preventing And Treating)
Haemostasis Disorders)

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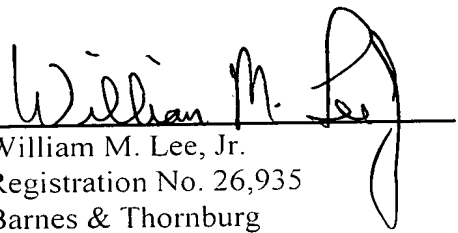
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Dear Sir:

It has been noticed that the sequence listing for the above-identified application does not contain all of the nucleotide sequences present in the application as filed. Accordingly, attached hereto is a corrected sequence listing, including the sequences disclosed on page 27, lines 19 - 29 of the specification of the present application. In addition, submitted herewith are two discs, having the sequence listing in a computer -readable form.

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Respectfully submitted,


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